

## **REMARKS**

### **Election:**

In accordance with this Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects the claims in Group I with traverse. The claims in Group I are Claims 1-18.

Claims 19-45 have been withdrawn.

### **Amendment**

The Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the aforementioned amendments for consideration. In this amendment:

Claims 1-3, 5, 8, 11, 14-18 and 46-48 are pending in the present application.

Claims 4, 6-7, 9-10 and 12-13 have been canceled.

Claims 19-45 have been withdrawn, in which claims 23-24, 26-27 and 32-33 have been canceled.

Claims 46-48 are new. Support for claims 46-48 can be found in the specification, such as in Fig. 1B and paragraph numerals [0028], [0029], [0030] and [0040] of the specification.

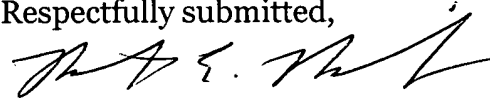
No new matter has been added. The claims currently presented are proper and definite. Examination of the claims is respectfully requested.

### **Correspondence and Fees**

In the event that there are fees necessitated by this response, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 03-3839.

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